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Title : SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING A NONCONDUCTIVE MATERIAL OR A WEAKLY CONDUCTIVE MATERIAL APPLIED TO A SIDE EDGE OF A SUBSTRATE AND A METHOD OF FABRICATING THE SAME

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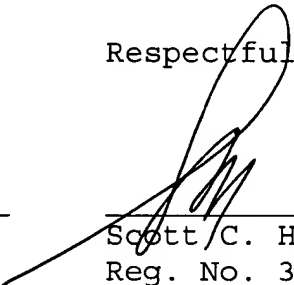
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